Whose Job Is It??

According to 2012 Friend at Court:

THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

“------ is directly responsible for the ADMINISTRATIVE (courts, balls, entries, TDM, memberships, volunteers, paperwork, SELECTION etc.) details of the tournament.” (p.54)

THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE

(composed of at least three persons including the TD, Referee, & tournament chair) (I.B., p. 53)

“------ determine(s) the seeding”, except see USTA Reg IX.A.4. (USTA Reg. II A.1. & Table 2, p 54)

“------ shall appoint a Tournament Appeals Committee to decide appeals”

(USTA Reg I.D. Table 2 p. 53).

“------ shall place …(18 items required by F@C)... on its written entry form & its website (if any).” (USTA reg I.H.2., p.67)

------ may grant players’ written request to enter two (2) tournaments with overlapping dates. Note: The tournament Committees of both tournaments entered must understand the request and also concur in writing. (USTA reg IV. C.11-12. P. 119)
THE REFEREE

“----- makes the draw publicly” (USTA reg. II.B.1. & 2. p.80 and Table 3. p. 55)

“----- May default a player for cause” (USTA reg. III.B.5. p 103 and Table 3 p.56)

“----- Supervises all aspects of play” (USTA reg. VII A.p 138 and Table 3 p 56)

“----- Makes changes in the draw including withdrawals, substitutions, seeds, correcting administrative errors (USTA reg. II.C. 1.2.3. p 90-91 & Table 3 p. 55)

“----- schedules the matches” (USTA reg. II.D. p 97 & Table 3 p. 55)

“----- take(s) steps … to keep tournament on schedule” (USTA reg III.G. p. 115)

“----- may shorten the tournament (for weather, health concerns, or safety concerns)” (USTA reg III.G. p.115)

Defaults players for tardiness or imposes lateness penalties (USTA III. B.5 P. 100)